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Rocks News

Rocks, Feb. 14.- Farmers are expecting to go to work on their plant beds in a few days.

Mrs. Harry Ranson took Frank Ray and Harry Eugene to Lynchburg recently to see a doctor about their ears.

Kyle Almond, who was quite ill last Thursday, is much better.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Williams and son, Steve, of Waynesboro, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roach last Thursday.

The Rocks Home Demonstration Club held its February meeting with Mrs. John Ranson last Monday.

G. T. Marsh celebrated his 78th birthday last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jones and children, of Newport News, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Marsh. Others who called on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh, of Appomattox, and Mrs. Jack Hamilton and son, Jackie, of Texas; Miss Cassie Baldwin and Myrtle Goin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ranson and Geraldine were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roach Sunday. In the afternoon they called to see Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roach.

Mrs. Helen Inge was visiting her sister, Mrs. Kenneth St. John at Evergreen several days last week.

Mrs. D. R. Inge spent a day last week with Mrs. Melvin Adkinson at Evergreen.

Mrs. Lewis Dickerson and daughter, Christine called to see the former's sister, Mrs. Willie Orange awhile last Monday afternoon.

Robert Roach called to see Capt. Covington awhile laste Sunday afternoon.

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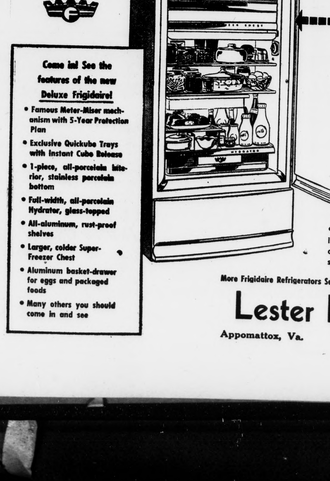

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FATHER DARKLEAF

By The Editor

...one smart guy has figured out the speed of a baseball hurled ...Bob Feller is 98.6 miles per ...r. But of more practiful nature is information that the amount ...water a leaky faucet leaks is ...gallons a month at the rate of ...drip a second.

...rd and Chevrolet were the lar... ...national advertisers in the ...ty newspapers of the nation in ...according to a recent survey.

...nother interesting survey was ...ette sales by brands in 1948. ...y Strike was the national lead... ...th 103 billion Camel was next ...96 billion, followed by Chest... ...d 76 billion; Phillip Morris 27 ...n; Old Gold 16.5 billion and ...Mall at 14 billion. Total sales ...l brands: 352.5 billion.

...T. Mitchell called attention ...week to the fact that Appo... ...x now has four police offi... ...Robert Wooten, new mainte... ...manager for the town, has ...made a special officer. Town ...er J. W. Cawthon still carries ...dge" and Mr. Mitchell and ...k" Stanley round out the offi... ...foursome. Incidently, we hear ...had a busy week-end.

...F. Abbitt, Sr., of Vera, calls ...attention to the listing of Miss ...ah Alvis as from Appomattox ...list of Spelling Bee winners in ...week's paper. Miss Alvis is ...Vera. (Note: it is good policy ...paper to make "corrections." ...de journal tells ye editor that ...a pulley makes for a belief in ...reliability of a paper).

...me Agent's ...hedule For ...xt Week

...me Demonstration Agent's ...ule, week of Feb. 28-March 5:

...nday, February 28.- The Clov... ...Home Demonstration Club ...et at 2:00 P. M. at the home ...W. F. Hanenkrat, Sr., with ...ete Johnson as co-hostess. ...monstration on reading house ...ill be given by club leader, ...N. Hernell.

...sday, March 1.- The Lee ...Demonstration Club will meet ...0 P. M. with Mrs. Helen F. ...s. The demonstration on ...e materials will be given by ...ader, Mrs. H. A. Gurney.

...s March 2.- The Glendale ...Demonstration Club will meet ...P. M. with Mrs. E. W. Mar... ...The demonstration on build... ...erials will be given by club ...s. Mrs. F. J. Nash, Sr., and ...J. Nash, Jr.

...rsday, March 3.- The Hix... ...Home Demonstration Club will ...s 2:00 P. M. with Mrs. Carl ...The demonstration on build... ...aterials will be given by Mrs. ...Anderson, Home Agent.

...EL MOON Y. W. A.'S

...Hazel Moon Y. W. A.'s, of ...Spring Baptist Church met ...February 18, in the home ...Jennings. The meeting was ...to order by the president, ...the Y. W. A. Ideals. Two ...you" letters were read, the ...and minutes read by the ...ary.

...program was given as fol...

...sture and prayer.

...In Healing Service, Mrs. ...n McCormick.

...Talk Which God Gave Me, ...Jennings.

...ade-by, by Martha Jennings.

...meeting was closed with the ...Watchword. For the social ...a Valentine Party was enjoy... ...members and their guests. ...next meeting will be held ...17.

...e youths try repetition of the ...coin throw of George Wash...

...crystal tries out jet fighter ...in flight.

APPOMATTOX MAYOR CONTACTS WORLD'S "PEACE CITIES"

Photo by National Photo Service

Above: Mayor George B. Buchanan of Appomattox looks over one of the special "Potowaro" souvenir china plates he mailed this week to mayors of cities all over the world where some peace was signed.

George B. Buchanan, Mayor of historic Appomattox, has his own ideas about peace. It was at old Appomattox Court House on April 9, 1865, that Generals Robert E. Lee and U. S. Grant signed the peace ending the Civil War. Mayor Buchanan declares that the world needs to pay more attention to the places and shrines where peace was made. And being a man of action, the Appomattox Mayor has backed up his belief with a novel boost for world peace.

The mayors of some twenty-five cities all over the world where a peace was made ending a war ... he's been mailed a souvenir gift from Appomattox's Mayor.

He got his list of such cities from the Library of Congress. To each Mayor has gone a wooden box containing a souvenir from Appomattox in the form of a "Potowaro" china decorative plate showing the famous McLean House where General Lee and General Grant signed the peace terms in 1865. This souvenir was made by special arrangement with Appomattox's Photo Service Company, and boxed by Hunter Lumber Co.

He said after the boxes were mailed and personal letters of greeting had been dispatched by air mail to the mayors of "peace cities," that he hoped that these gifts would be displayed in the municipal halls as a reminder that peace is a goal of all nations. He added:

"We should know more about these places where peace was made. Take th's list of cities furnished me by the Library of Congress. I knew that several peace treaties had been signed in Paris, but it was interesting to see over the list. There's Vereen'ging, Union of South Africa. The peace ending the Boer War was signed there May 31, 1902. And few of us recall that the peace ending the Russo-Japanese War was signed September 15, 1905, in Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

"France has lots of 'peace cities,' On our list were Paris, Versailles, Neuilly, St. Germain and Trianon.

"Switzerland is on the list three times, with Zurich, Geneva and Lausanne. Peace for the Chaco War ending June 2, 1935, was signed in Buenos Aires, Argentina. The First Balkan War peace was signed in London, May 30,1913. The peace ending the Greek Revolt War was signed in London, February 3, 1830.

"Shimonoseki, Japan is a peace city. The peace ending the Chinese-Japanese War was signed there on April 17, 1895. The First Transvaal War peace was signed in Pretoria, Union of South Africa, on August 8, 1881. The peace ending the Franco-Prussian War was signed in Frankfort, Germany May 10, 1871. The Danish-German War ended in Vienna, Austria, October 30, 1864. The Napoleonic Wars ended in a peace signed in Vienna on June 9, 1815.

"The War of 1812 ended in a peace signed in Ghent, Belgium on December 24, 1814. The United States - Tripoli War peace was signed in Tripoli, North Africa, June 4, 1805. The U. S. - Mexican War peace was signed in Guadalupe Hidalgo, Mexico February 2, 1846. The Russo-Turkish War peace was made at Adrianople, Turkey, on September 14, 1829."

And so the list of "peace cities" goes. Mayor Buchanan says that his town has something in common with them.

He says he would like to see the recently rebuilt McLean House at old Appomattox made into something of a peace museum, with souvenirs from the other peace cities of the world. "Tourists would stay a little longer," he declares, "if Virginia goes to a little extra pains to collect historic museum pieces and have them on display. And there is nothing the world wants more than peace. The United States is one great nation today because peace was made at Appomattox and so I think the theme of the restoration here should be that of world peace."

A LIST OF "PEACE CITIES"

Appomattox, Va.	USA Civil War
Paris, France	World War II (Axis Satellites)
Geneva, Switzerland	Italo - Ethiopian War
Buenos Aires, Argentina	Chaco War
Lausanne, Switzerland	Greco - Turkish War
Trianon, France	World War I (Hungary)
Neuilly, France	World War I (Bulgaria)
St. Germain, France	World War I (Austria)
Versailles, France	World War I (Germany)
London, England	First Balkan War
Portsmouth, New Hampshire	Russo - Japanese War
Peking, China	Boxer Expedition
Vereeniging, Union of S. Africa	The Boer War
Paris, France	Spanish - American War
Istanbul, Turkey	Greco - Turkish War
Shimonoseki, Japan	China - Japanese War
Pretoria, Union of South Africa	First Transvaal War
Frankfort, Germany	France - Prussian War
Vienna, Austria Napoleonic Wars	and Danish - German War
Zurich, Switzerland	Italian War (1859)
Paris, France	The Crimean War (1856)
Guadlupe Hidalgo, Mexico	U. S. A. - Mexican War (1846)
Andrianople, Turkey	Russo - Turkish War (1829)
Ghent, Belgium	War of 1812
Tripoli, North Africa	U. S. A. - Tripoli War (1805)

P.-T. A. Meets

The Appomattox P.-T. A. will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the school library. Senator C. T. Moses, L. Crawley and G. F. Abbitt, Jr. will give a panel discussion on ways to finance public schools.

STC Alumnae

A group of Farmville Alumnae of Appomattox County met in the school cafeteria here on Tuesday night. Guests from the State Teachr's College were Mr. and Mrs. Coyner, Miss Alice Carter and Miss ... The following officers were elected for the re-organized Appomattox Chapter:

Mrs. Thabert Trent, president; Mrs. John Taylor, secretary treasurer; Miss Flora Belle Williams, historian, and Mrs. Mildred O'B. Alvis, publicity chairman.

Miss Williams, Mrs. Trent and Mrs. Jerry A. Burke had charge of a social hour after the meeting.

PATRICK HENRY LEAGUE

The Patrick Henry Baseball Lauge will operate this season with six clubs instead of eight as in past years. Brookneal, Charlotte Court House, Clays Mill, Red House, Republican Grove and Rustburg will have teams in the league.

At a meeting of the league held in Brookneal, the teams agreed to play a thirty-game schedule during the 1949 season. A schedule is now being prepared.

Senate passes a compromise bill on housing.

Philadelphia transit firms ask a hike in fares.

Open hearings are concluded on new labor bill.

HIGHWAY NEWS

L. E. Geris, landscape superintendent for the State Highway Department's Lynchburg construction district, of which Appomattox County is a part, attended a three-day conference in Richmond last week on roadside development problems.

Purpose of the conference was to promote uniform methods throughout the state for handling traffic signs and markings, regulating outdoor advertising, and extending erosion control.

Martin predicts ...ease will pass bill to pension veterans.

Phone 30 with Personals.

March is RED CROSS month!

Give to "YOUR" Red Cross.

Tobacco Men Meet Tuesday

County Agent R. B. Hudgins has made the following announcement to tobacco growers:

"We are arranging a meeting of all tobacco growers (dark-fired and flue-cured) on Tuesday, March 1, at 1:30 P. M. in Appomattox Court House and at 7:30 P. M. at the Oakville school.

"G. R. Mathews, Associate Extension Agronomist, will speak on 'Larger Yields and Better Quality Tobacco.' S. B. Fenne, Extension Plant Pathologist, will talk on 'Diseases and Insect Control,' Dr. J. L. Maxton, Extension Agricultural Economist, will discuss 'The General Outlook' with emphasis on the future of the tobacco grower."

Red Cross Roll Call Planned

Calvin H. Robinson, chairman of the 1949 Red Cross Roll Call drive for this county, stated this week that the "tried and tested" system used in past years will be repeated in the effort for meeting the county quota. In the county the effort will be made by soliciting committees in each church. In the towns, contributions will be assembled at business places. Break-down quotas are now being prepared. The drive begins March 1.

High School Chatter....

We're back again as usual; you know, this could get monotonous, but if you can stand it we'll keep writing.

Many of have still not gotten over the fine program of singing that was presented by the "Deep River Quartet," at school Thursday. Most of us agree that we could listen to their singing all day.

Some of the English classes added to their knowledge of Shapespeare Monday by viewing a movie of "Romeo and Juliet." The Spanish and Music Appreciation classes also had pictures this week. The Speech Class enjoyed very much Friday a program given to them by the Music class, along the line of work they are doing.

Room inspection was held Monday for the first time this year and the grades look pretty good, but they can be improved. We hear that inspection is going to be held every week until the end of school, so let's keep our rooms nice and all good grades.

Well, suppose we peep around the corner, at the social side of life 'bout these parts .. There was no Canteen Party last week but we are looking forward to Friday for the Latin Club Canteen Party .. Wonder which car Harry likes best, Plymouth or Pontiac, or is he the judge of that? .. Inez likes a '37 Ford Coupe, or is it the car? .. Charley will take his Chevrolet, won't he, June? .. Some of our students have been layed up with the measles; oh, one teacher also, Miss Shuford, so we hear .. We are glad to see Joyce Harris back with us .. The High School bowling team is now tied for third place in the local bowling race .. Baseball will take over the spotlight here before long; to be exact, the boys start practicing next week.

You were sure to guess Gwen Shuford as our "personality" last week, if you live around here; but let's see how good you are this week. Subject: human being, very human; sex, male (oh boy,, girls); weight 194, size 6' 3"; age, ah! ah!, not, it's not nice to tell one's age. In general he makes good grades, loves football and girls (wonder why). In the Navy (oh boy, a sailor) his buddies called him "Rusty," so form your opinion about his hair. Who is he?

As Shakespeare would say, "parting is such sweet sorrow" but we must say good-bye.

U. S reported ready to give assurances to nations signing the North Atantic Pact that will fight in event of aggression.

Dedication Of McLean House Is Postponed

It is inderstood that formal dedication of the restored McLean House here has been postponed and will not be held on the anniversary date of April 9 as planned.

Inability to make suitable arrangements in the limited time that would be available, and anticipated delay in providing for the proper refurnishing and landscaping of the rebuilt house were the principal reasons for the postponement. The dedication day or may not be put on prior to April 9, 1950, next anniversary date of the peace ending the War Between the States.

The McLean House itself is now virtually rebuilt, and many interested visitors are coming to see it. The National Park Service will go ahead with development of the Old Court House area pending completion of plans for a formal dedication.

Income Tax Representative Here March 8

C. E. Hudson, representative of the Federal Income Tax Department will be in the office of J. H. O'Brien, Commissioner of Revenue, Tuesday March 8, from 9:30 A. M. until 5:30 P. M. Mr. Hudson will assist anyone in filing income tax returns which must be filed not later than March 15.

Highway Entrances

The question of responsibility for maintenance of private driveways coming into state highways is one of the most misunderstood of state road problems in some counties, a spokesman for the State Highway Department said this week.

Many residents, it seems, believe that the responsibility is on the Highway Department to maintain entrances of private driveways.

Resident Engineer W. C. Poston, of Appomattox County, stated that while he has had few complaints along this line, there are residents who do not understand the regulations of the Highway Department regarding private entrances.

These regulations, he pointed out, provide that,

(1) the property owner shall, in all cases, maintain the entrance leading into his property from the road.

(2) Where a new private entrance is to be built into the highway, the Highway Department will, where the private owner has secured the proper permit, provided the required pipe and graded the roadway, install the pipe and keep it clear of debris. Maintenance of the driveway surface, however, is with the owner.

(3) All entrances should be so constructed by the property owner that water will drain from the highway surface, and such entrances should be surfaced with a stable material to prevent mud from washing or tracking onto the highway surface.

(4) Entrances with an open drainage ditch are permitted when it is possible to provide adequate drainage.

(5) The general polley in all cases, except by right of way agreement on new construction, is that the property owner shall furnish the necessary drainage structure, which the road engineers will have installed free of cost.

These regulations apply only to private property entrances, the spokesman for the Highway Department said. Commercial and subdivision entrances are the sole responsibility of the owner, including installation, keeping the structures properly functioning, providing and maintaining a satisfactory connection or apron with the highway pavement to prevent hazards to traffic, and insuring proper drainage at all times.